



PREMO INDUSTRY DAY! LIGHT RAIL TRANSIT (LRT)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2024

8:45 AM – 2:30 PM



Broward County Transit PREMO Light Rail Transit (LRT) Plan



WELCOME

COREE CUFF LONERGAN
CEO/General Manager
Broward County Transportation Department





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Broward County Transit PREMO Light Rail Transit (LRT) Plan

PREMO Mobility Plan

Adopted June 2023

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PREMO Plan Strategy and Goals

- The Strategy of the Broward Premium Mobility (PREMO) Plan is to invest in a countywide network of premium transit services that provide modern convenient mobility that is attractive, safe, reliable, and frequent.
- **Goals:**
 - ❖ Improve Mobility for All
 - ❖ Implement Equitable Transit Solutions
 - ❖ Enhance Economic Development and Ensure Financial Stability
 - ❖ Improve Safety, security, and ensure Environmental Stewardship
 - ❖ Integrate and Serve Communities

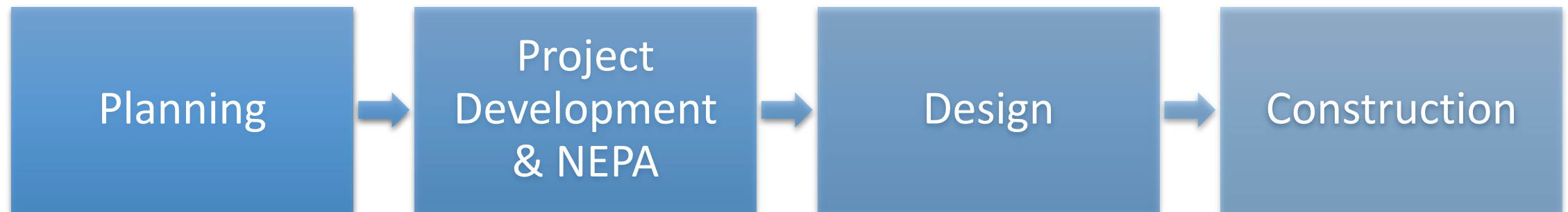
PREMO Plan Implementation

- On June 13, 2023, the Broward County Commission unanimously passed a motion to approve the PREMO Plan, achieving a critical milestone in delivering the Transportation Surtax's promise.
- With the approval of the PREMO Plan, Broward County Transit (BCT) is quickly moving premium transit projects to the implementation phase.
- PREMO is a bold plan and BCT wants the industry's help to deliver it.
- Today's Industry Day will focus on the Light Rail Transit projects in the PREMO Plan.





Phases of Project Delivery
















The LRT Plan

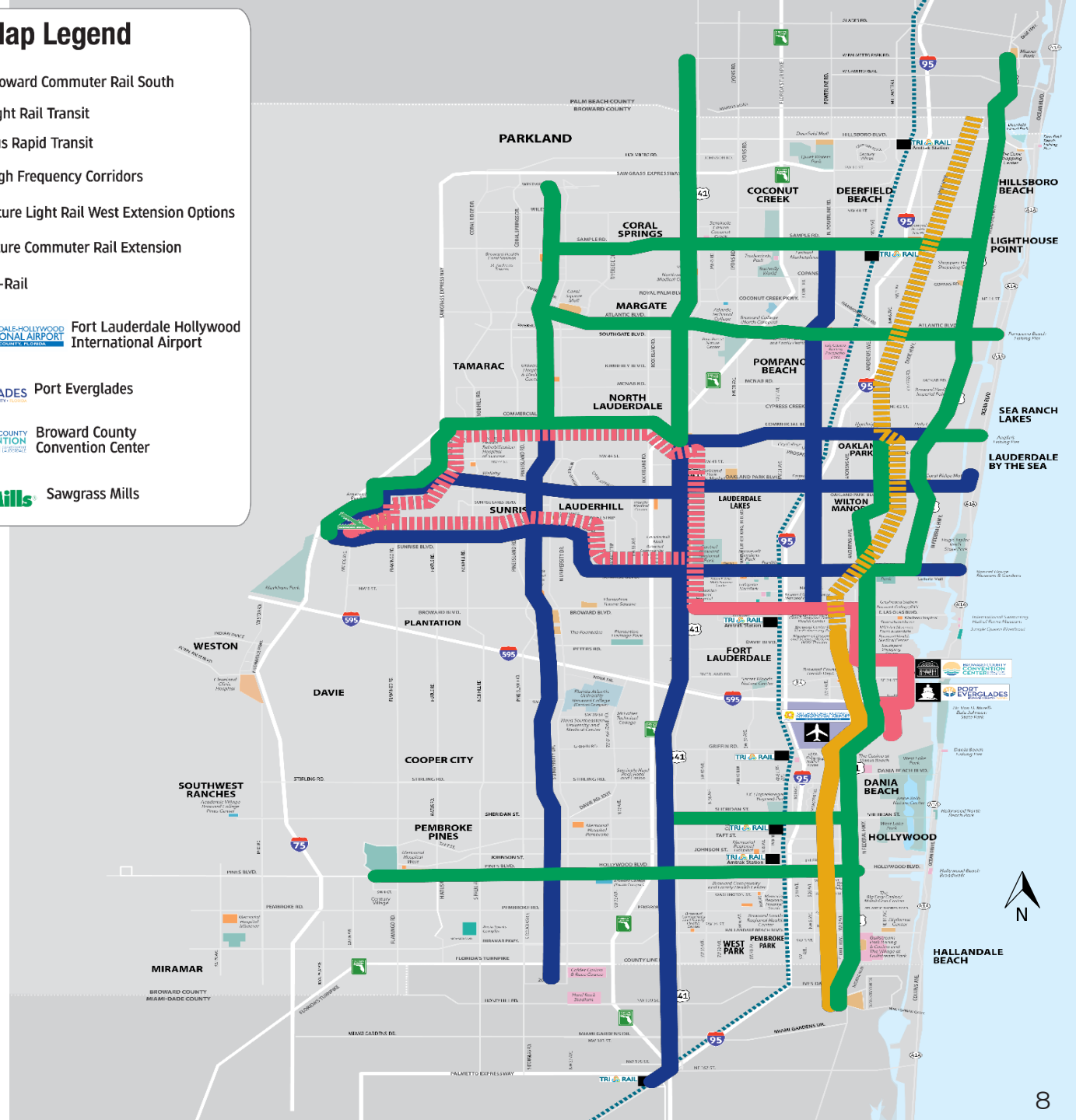


PREMO Network

Mode	Miles
Commuter Rail South	11.5
Light Rail Transit (LRT)	23.3
Bus Rapid Transit (BRT)	76
High Frequency Bus	100

Map Legend

-  Broward Commuter Rail South
-  Light Rail Transit
-  Bus Rapid Transit
-  High Frequency Corridors
-  Future Light Rail West Extension Options
-  Future Commuter Rail Extension
-  Tri-Rail
-  Fort Lauderdale Hollywood International Airport
-  Port Everglades
-  Broward County Convention Center
-  Sawgrass Mills



Downtown Connection LRT

Project Overview: The segment connects the Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport, Port Everglades, the Broward County Convention Center along SE 17th Street and then north to Downtown Fort Lauderdale. Includes:

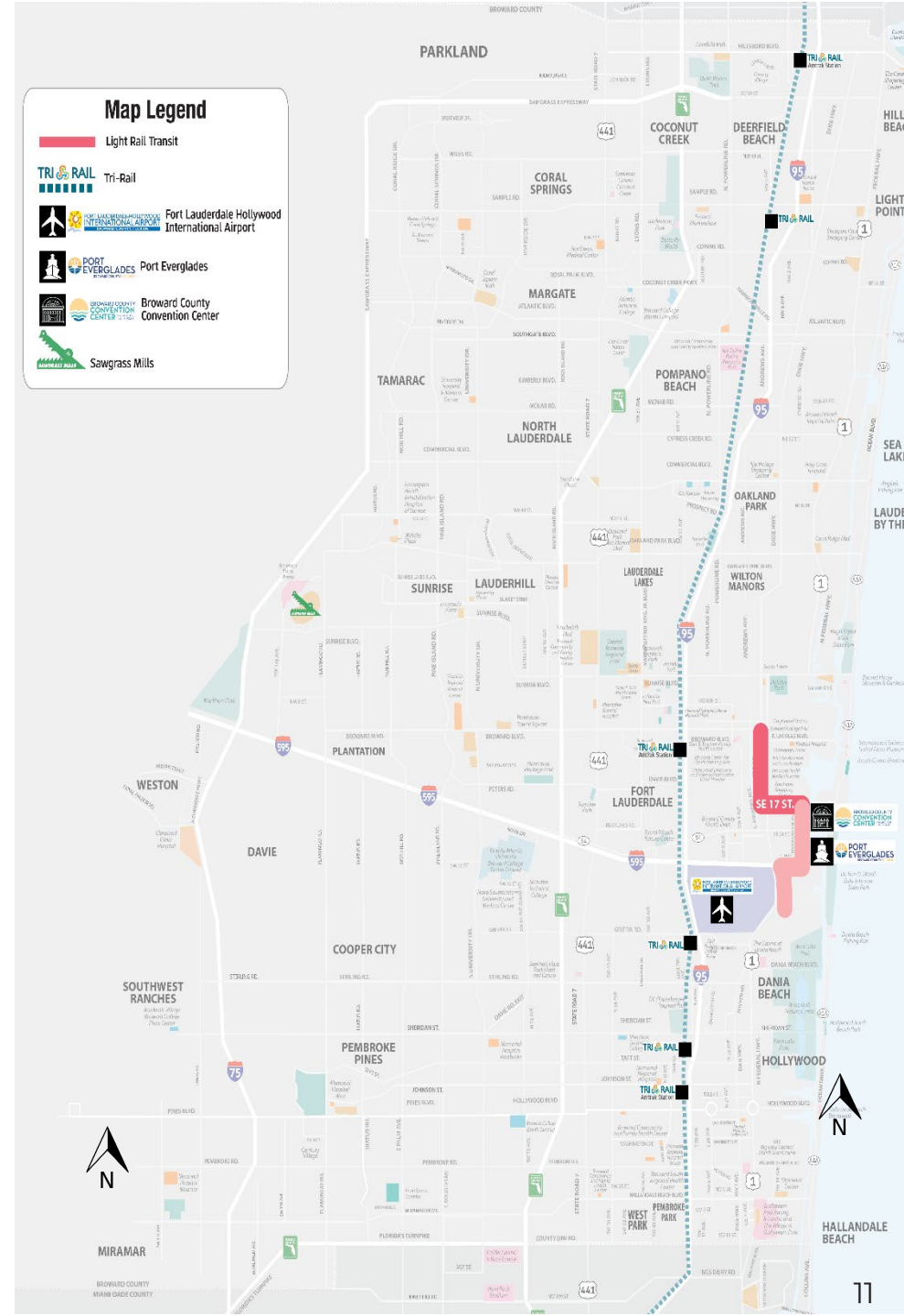
- 3 additional miles of Light Rail Transit (LRT)
- Tracks and stations at street level
- Consideration for future extensions along Broward Boulevard, State Road 7 with east-west connections along Sunrise or Commercial Boulevards, after future performance and studies validate needs

Anticipated Annual Ridership:
1.7M - 2.7M

Projected Opening: EOY 2031

Estimated Investment: \$442M*

** Does not include permanent light rail maintenance facility/property acquisition costs.*



Broward Boulevard LRT

Project Overview: The segment connects Downtown Fort Lauderdale to US 441/SR 7. Includes:

- 4 additional miles of Light Rail Transit (LRT)
- Consideration for extension east-west to State Road 7 north with extensions along Sunrise or Commercial Boulevards, after future performance and studies validate needs

Anticipated Annual Ridership:
1.5M -3.3M without west extension

Projected Opening: EOY 2035

Estimated Investment: \$930M*

** Does not include permanent light rail maintenance facility/property acquisition costs.*



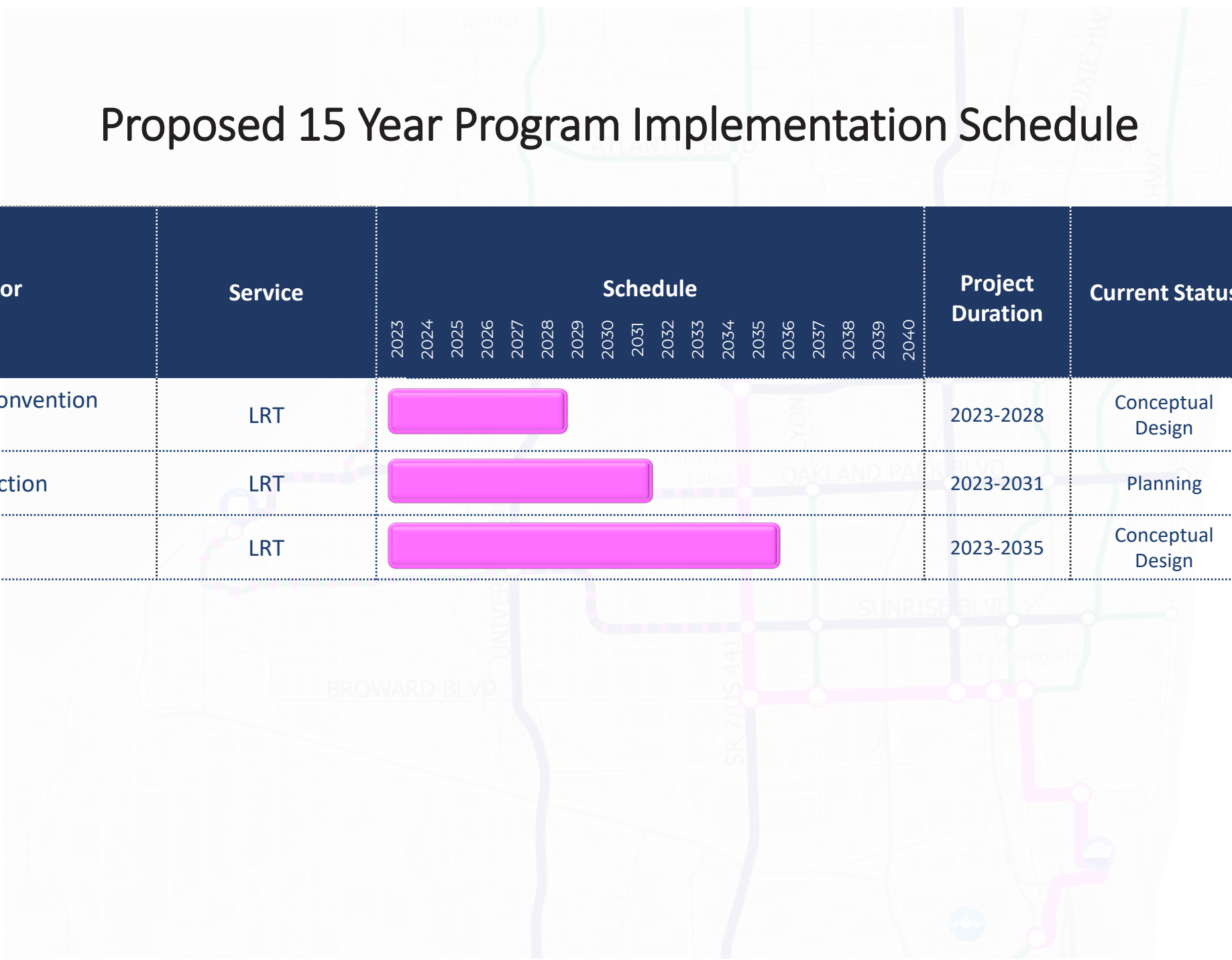


Implementation



Proposed 15 Year Program Implementation Schedule

Corridor	Service	Schedule																		Project Duration	Current Status	Target Revenue Service
		2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040			
Airport-Seaport-Convention Center	LRT	█																		2023-2028	Conceptual Design	2028
Downtown Connection	LRT	█																		2023-2031	Planning	2031
Broward Blvd LRT	LRT	█																		2023-2035	Conceptual Design	2035



Summary

- This transformational effort will redefine service delivery, mobility and connectivity throughout Broward County
- At the end, we will have:
 - Approximately 23.3 miles of new premium LRT service
 - Connections between the Major County Activity Centers and Communities
 - Enhanced Economic Development Potential



LRT Capital Cost Summary

Corridor	Estimated Capital Investment* (\$Million)
Airport-Seaport-Convention Center	1,250
Downtown Connection	442
Broward Blvd LRT	930
Total	2,622

* Does not include:

- Operations and maintenance costs

THANK YOU!

Broward County Transit
Mobility For All



PREMO - Light Rail Transit (LRT) Industry Day

Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport (FLL)

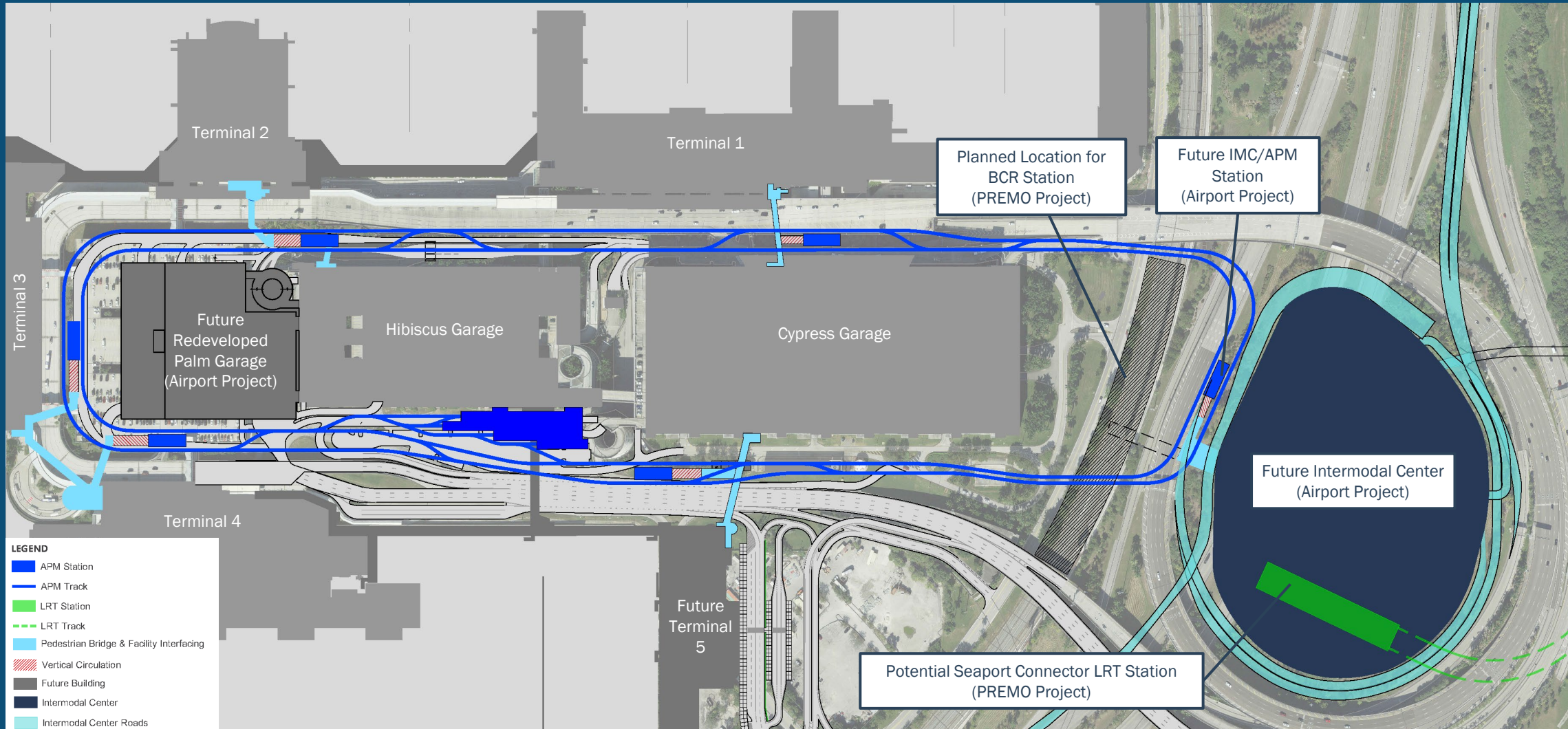
Presented by: William Castillo, Aviation Planning Manager



Agenda

- FLL Phase 1 Landside Improvements
- Key Connectivity Elements
- Intermodal Center and Potential Railway Station Section View
- Precedent Drawings

FLL Phase 1 Landside Improvements



Key Connectivity Elements



SOURCE: Illustrate My Design, inc, June 2019; Ricondo & Associates, Inc., June 2019.

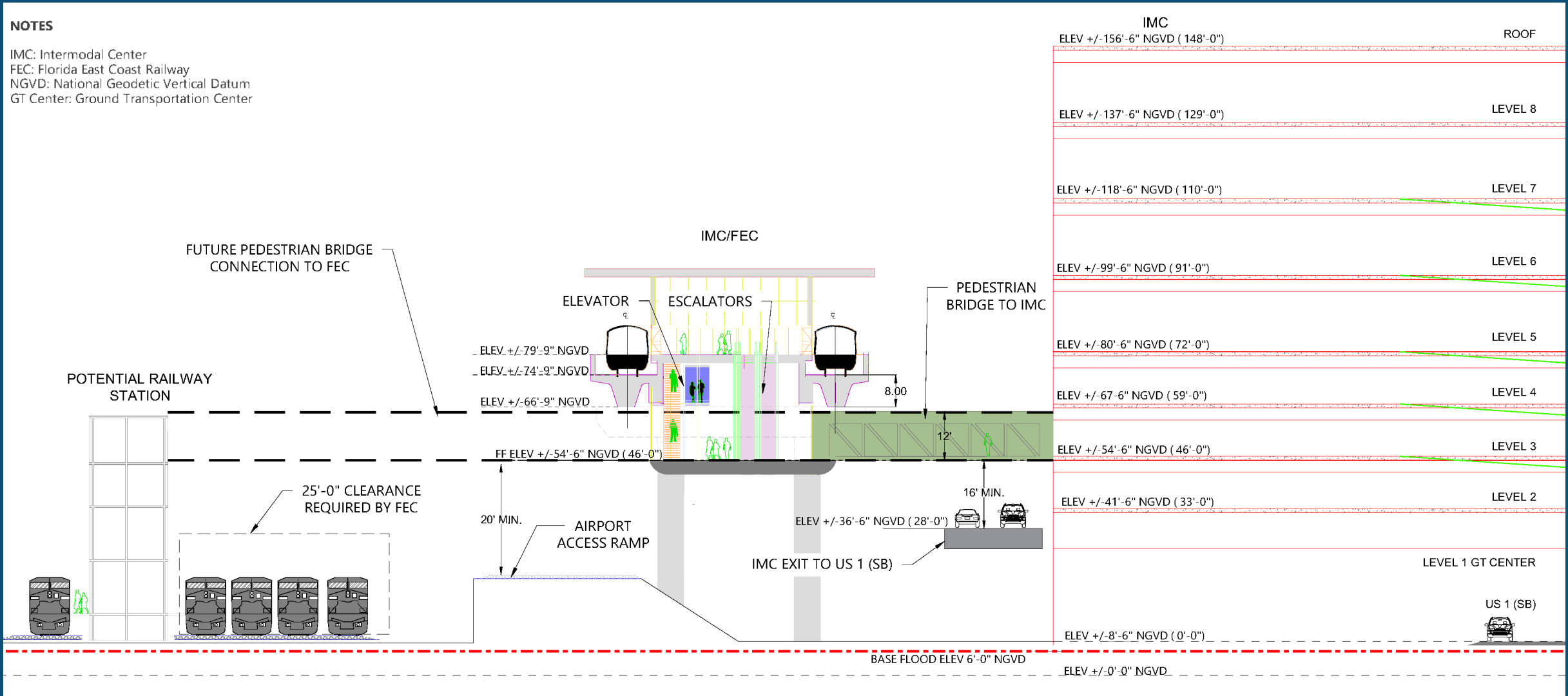
Connectivity Overview

- 1 The planned BCR station will provide direct connection to all FLL terminals (including future Terminal 5) when connected to the future on-airport APM system.
- 2 The Intermodal Center APM station will provide connectivity between the airport, planned BCR station, Intermodal Center, and the Airport/Seaport/Convention Center (The Connector).
- 3 The Intermodal Center is a multimodal hub providing passenger amenities and enhanced local and regional connectivity.

Intermodal Center and Potential Railway Station Section View

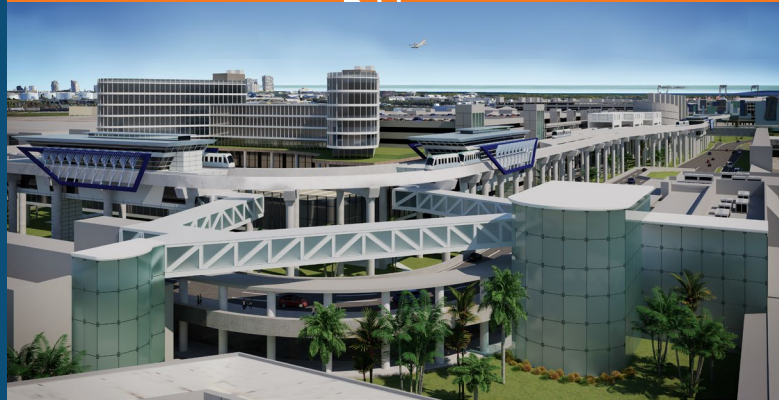
NOTES

IMC: Intermodal Center
 FEC: Florida East Coast Railway
 NGVD: National Geodetic Vertical Datum
 GT Center: Ground Transportation Center



Illustrative Precedent Drawings

Illustrative On-airport APM and Pedestrian



Source: Broward County Aviation Department, *APM Program Definition Document*, December 2022.

Illustrative Pedestrian Bridge (Interior)



Source: Broward County Aviation Department, *Terminal 5 Program Definition Document*, January 2021.

Illustrative On-airport APM Station (Exterior)



Source: Broward County Aviation Department, *Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport, 2020 Master Plan Update*, November 2020.

Illustrative Pedestrian Bridge (Exterior)



Source: Gannett Fleming, *Paoli Intermodal Transportation Center*, <https://www.gannettfleming.com/project/paoli-intermodal-transportation-center/> (accessed January 2024)



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FLORIDA

THANK YOU!

For more information, please visit www.fll.net



PORT EVERGLADES

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PREMO MOBILITY PLAN INDUSTRY DAY

PREMO LIGHT RAIL TRANSIT (LRT)

January 24, 2024

Dr. Natacha Yacinthe, Ph.D., AICP, PPM

Executive Seaport Planning Manager
Project Manager, PEV Master/Vision Plan
Project Manager, Flyover Feasibility Analysis





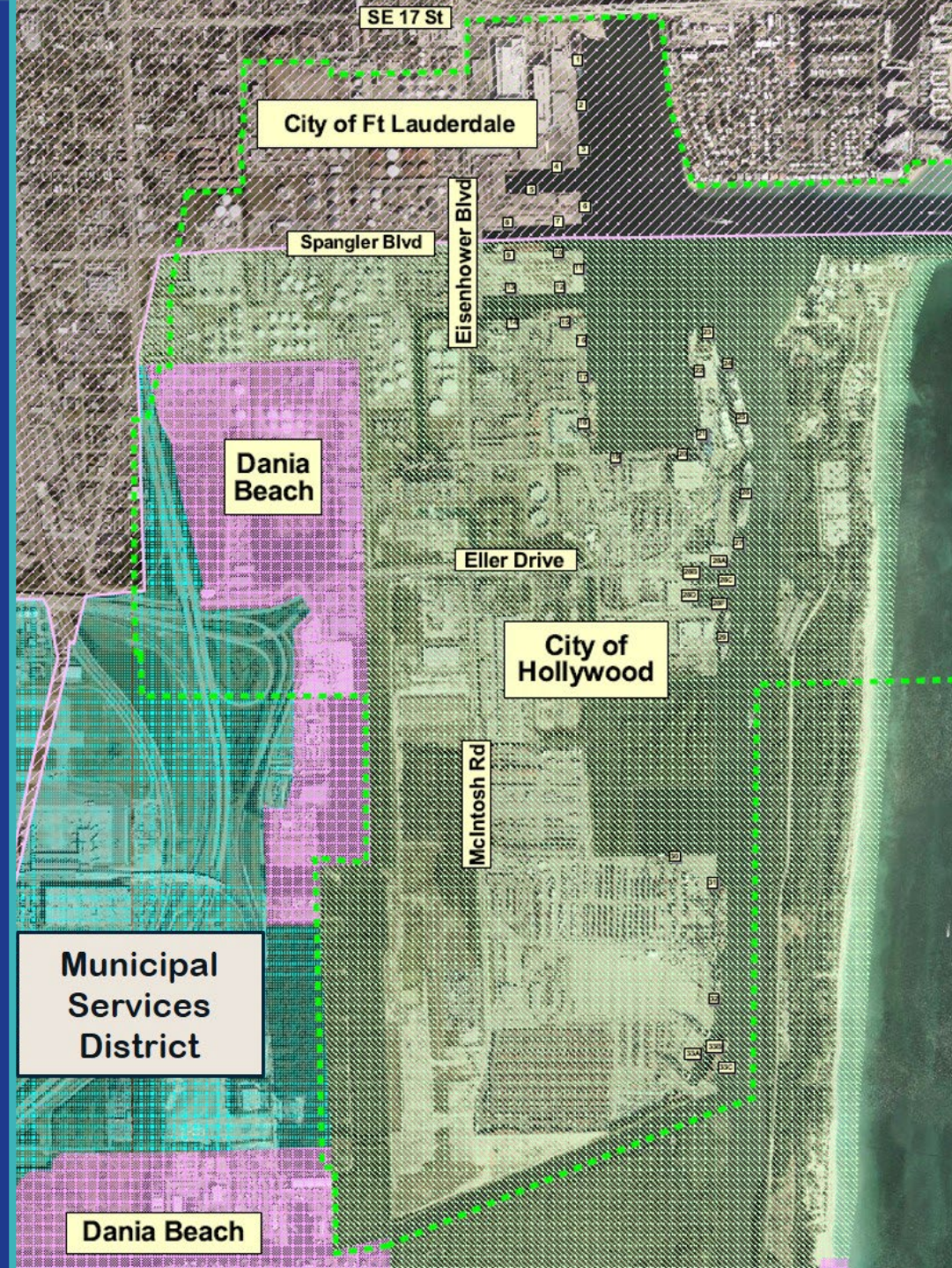
Port Everglades Located

In 3 Cities

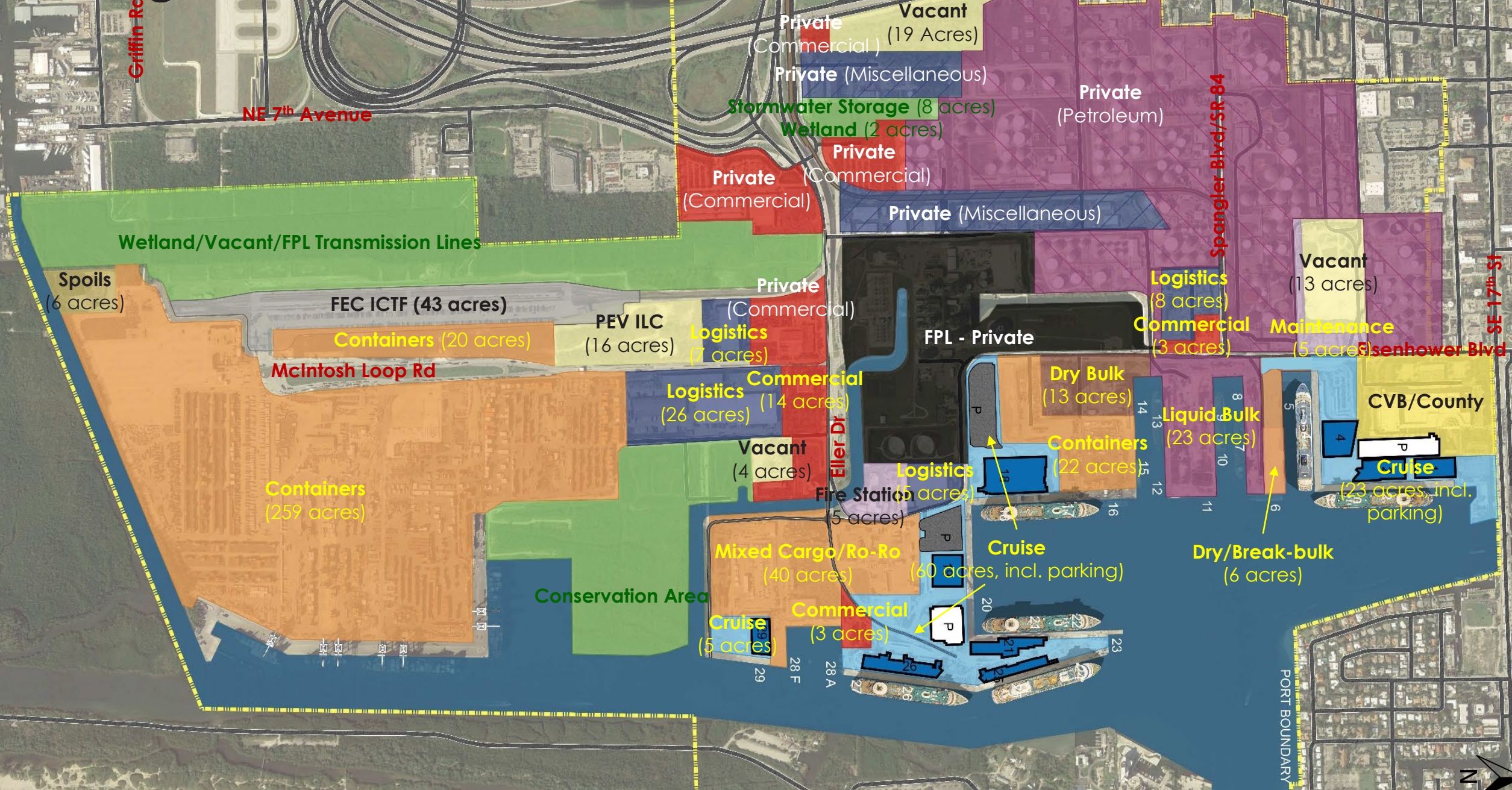
- Hollywood – 71.3%
- Fort Lauderdale-13.3%
- Dania Beach – 13.4%

PEV

4 Primary Business
lines



Existing Conditions



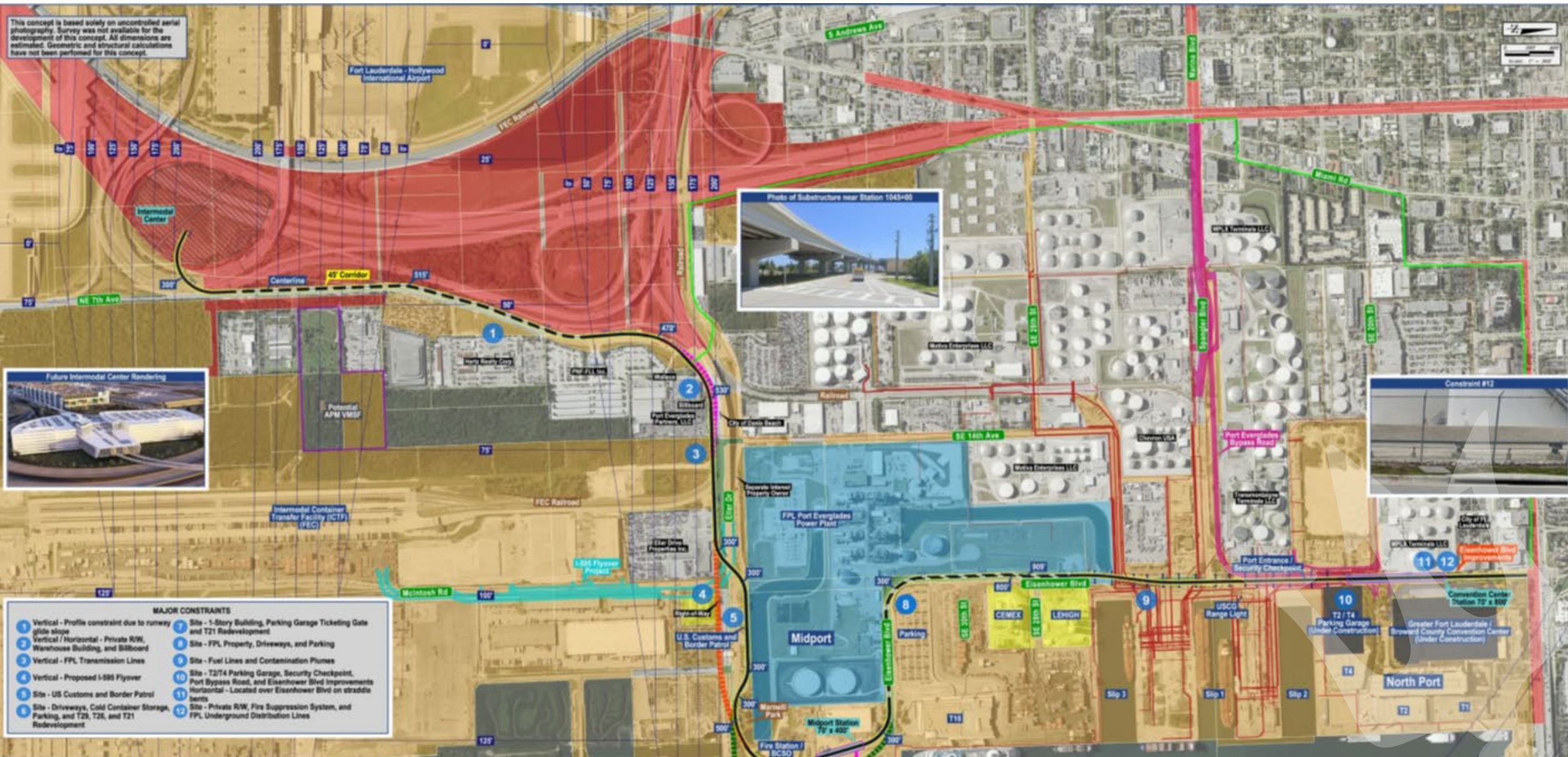
Airport-Seaport-Convention Center Connector

- The proposed 3.5-mile alignment runs east from the planned IMC station, then at-grade to the north along NE 7th Avenue to Eller Drive where the guideway elevates turning east to enter the Port. The elevated alignment then runs north along SE 19th Avenue to the Midport station and heads west along Eisenhower Boulevard turning north to terminate at an aerial station at the Convention Center
- It is anticipated to serve commuters, tourists, employees, and patrons of the forthcoming Broward County light rail system and the expanded bus and multi-modal transportation network. The Connector will serve tourists and commuters throughout Broward and the South Florida region.

PROJECT OVERVIEW:

- Phase 1 - Airport-Seaport-Convention Center LRT Aug 2023 to Dec 2028
- Airport-Seaport-Conv. Center LRT 3.5 Miles
- Three Stations*
- Elevated guideway primarily on Broward County property. An estimated 33 of the parcels representing over 90% of the impacted right-of-way are government-owned property, with Broward County owning most of the public parcels. No relocations are anticipated

Airport-Seaport-Convention Center LRT





2023 Master/ Vision Plan Update

Background

- **Original Plan** was approved by the Broward County Commission (BCC) in December 2008
- **First Plan Update** was approved by the BCC in March 2011
- **Second Update to the Plan** was adopted by the BCC in June 2014
 - BCC directed that the Port Master/Vision Plan be updated every 2-3 years
- **Third Plan Update** was adopted by the BCC on June 18, 2020
- **Fourth Update** is currently underway
 - AECOM Team awarded the contract for the 2024 Master/Vision Plan Update



0-5 Year Projects (2019-2023)



Auto Terminal West
(New - 2023/TBD)

PEV ILC
(2020)

Phase 9A
(2022/2025)

STNE +3 SPP STS Cranes
(2023)

3 SPP STS Cranes
(2020)

New Ro-Ro Yard
(New - 2023)

USACE Deepening & Widening
(2025/2034)

I-595 Flyover
(New - 2025)

Consolidated Maintenance Facility
(New - 2023/2025)

Berths 16-18 Bulkheads
(2026)

Berths 21 & 22 Bulkheads
(2022/2028)

T21 Redevelopment
(2023/2028)

USACE Deepening & Widening (USCG Relocation)
(2022/2028)

Former Dynegy Property Logistics Development + Rail Extension
(New - 2023)

Port Access Road
(County - 2024)

Consolidated Maintenance Facility
(New - 2023/2025)

New T2/T4 Parking Garage
(2020)

Slip 1/Phase 1
(2025/2026)

Berths 1A, 1B, 2, & 3 Bulkheads
(2025)

Entrance Channel North Wall Bulkhead
(2024)



5-10 Year Projects (2024-2028)



Rail Connector

Break-bulk Yard (2026)

Griffin Road Extension/NE 7th Avenue Improvements (New - 2026)

McIntosh Road Realignment (New - 2027)

Rail Connector (County - 2028)

Berths 4-6 Bulkheads (2026)

Slip 1/Phase 2 (2027/2028)

Container Terminal Reconfiguration (New - 2028)

Phase 9C-1 (New - 2025)

Ro-Ro Yard Expansion (New - 2027)

T29 Redevelopment (2027)

Tracor Basin Fill

Berth 32 Bulkhead (2023)

Berth 29 Bulkhead (2026)

T26 Redevelopment (New - 2030)

PORT BOUNDARY



Selected Alternatives for Further Evaluation

1. No Build

Grade Separation

At Grade Improvements

2. NBLT+EBRT (PETA)

6. NB Truck Re-routing

3. NBLT

7. Diverged E/W

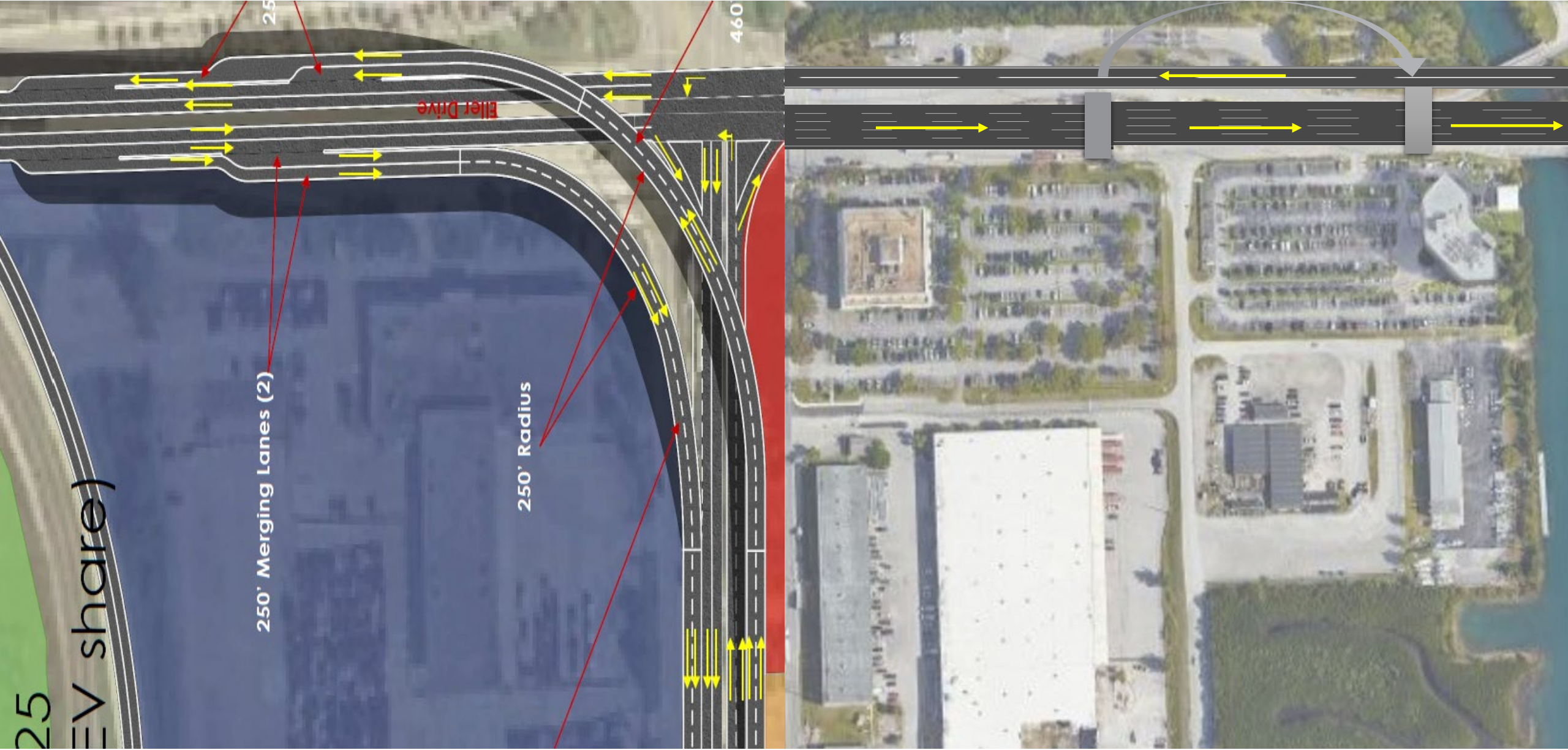
4. EB Thru

8. Eller Drive Gate Relocation 1

5. EB Thru + WB Thru

9. Eller Drive Gate Relocation 2

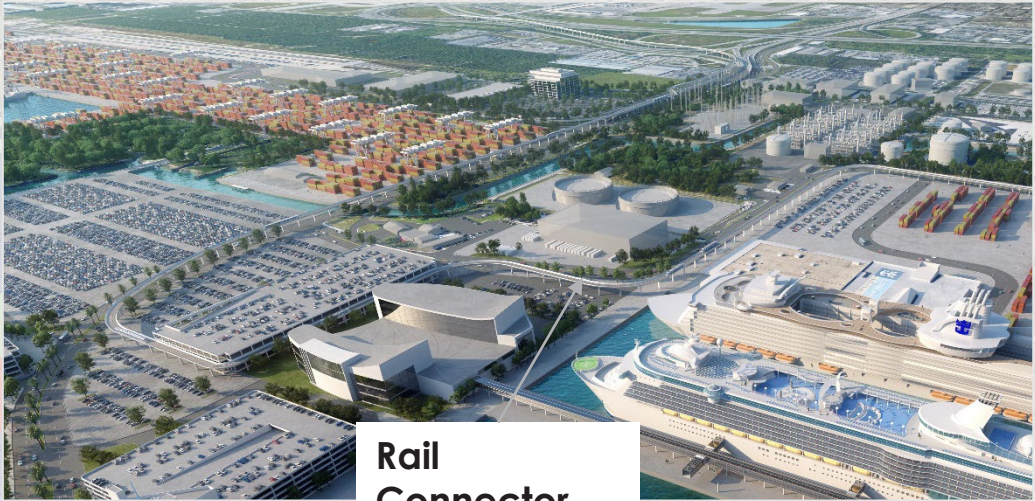
NBLT+EBRT Flyover



Port Everglades

- Board-approved PEV Master/Vision Plan
 - Connector is an unfunded project in 2028
 - Master Plan includes terminal redevelopment, slips, roadways
- Considerations
 - Prefer elevated alignment; would accept segments on the embankment for cost savings mainly south of Eller Drive
 - Vehicle Maintenance and Storage Facility (VMSF) required
 - Major constraints are commercial R/W
 - Utilities/fuel lines, contamination, operations, and construction of capital projects
 - Baggage
 - Security considerations/ Open to security check on-port
 - Cranes/vertical clearance for cranes
 - CT-29

Connector and Cruise Terminals



Rail
Connector

Griffin Road Extension/NE 7th
Avenue Improvements
(New - 2026)

McIntosh Road Realignment
(New - 2027)

I-595 Flyover
(New - 2025)

MIDPORT
STATION

CT-18

CT-4

CT-2

CT-19

ALT
MIDPORT
STATION

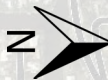
CT-29

CT-26

CT-21

CT-25

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26° 05.5' North Latitude · 80° 04.8' West Longitude



Candace Hartsell

Sr. Vice President, Administration

Visit Lauderdale



STATS AT A GLANCE

Greater Fort Lauderdale/Broward County Convention Center



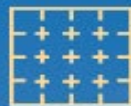
\$1.3 Billion

Invested in Expanded and Reimagined Convention Center



1.2 Million

Square Feet of Total Space at Convention Center



350,000

Square Feet of Contiguous Space in New Exhibit Hall



3,000

Hotel Rooms within 1.5 Miles of Convention Center



801

Rooms at Omni Headquarters Hotel



6

Acres in Outdoor Waterfront Plaza



4

Miles to Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport (FLL)



2.5

Miles to Downtown Fort Lauderdale



1.5

Miles to Fort Lauderdale Beach



0.5

Miles to Port Everglades



Opening 2025
**Convention Center
East Expansion**

**Convention
Center**

Opening 2025
OMNI
FORT LAUDERDALE
801 Rooms

Opening 2025
New Pedestrian Plaza

**VISIT
LAUDERDALE**
EVERYONE UNDER THE SUN
**Convention &
Visitors Bureau**



**BROWARD COUNTY
CONVENTION
CENTER**
GREATERT
FORT
LAUDERDALE

Moving People



Annual Visitation

19.1 Domestic

2.0 International

BCCC Attendees

428,000-460,000

Customer Journey

FLL - PoEv - BCCC

Hospitality Employment

95,700-99,200

To view live pictures of the
campus expansion, please visit:
Broward.org/CCExpansion

Thank you!

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DOING BUSINESS WITH BROWARD COUNTY

WINDELLE JEAN-PIERRE

SENIOR PURCHASING AGENT

PURCHASING DIVISION

JANUARY 2024

HOW TO DO BUSINESS WITH BROWARD COUNTY?

Register

Register as a Vendor in
Periscope S2G

Review

Review Solicitation
Requirements for
compliance

Research

Research Current
Contracts & Past
Solicitations

WHERE TO REGISTER?

- Broward County Website – Purchasing Division (broward.org)
- Electronic Bidding System - Periscope S2G
(<https://www.periscopeholdings.com/s2g>)
- **FREE FREE FREE**



HOW TO REGISTER?

Register

Register under official Company Name



Select

Select appropriate NIGP Codes



Monitor

Monitor emails

SOLICITATION REQUIREMENTS?



- **Review the Bid Comments**
- **Locate the Standard and Special Instructions to Vendors Document**
- **Broward County Ordinances**
- **Bond Requirements**
- **Insurance Requirements**
- **FTA Requirements**
- **Licensing Requirements**
- **FDOT Pre-Qualification/Certificate of Qualifications Requirements**

WHAT TO LOOK FOR?

 **Pre-Advertisements**

 **Pre-Bid/Proposal Meetings**

 **Questions and Answer Period**

 **Approved Equals Submission Deadline**

 **Special Instructions**

 **Goal Requirements**

LOCAL ORDINANCES



LIVING WAGE



CBE/SBE/DBE GOALS



**LOCAL
PREFERENCES**



FTA FORMS

Buy America

Lobbying

Debarment

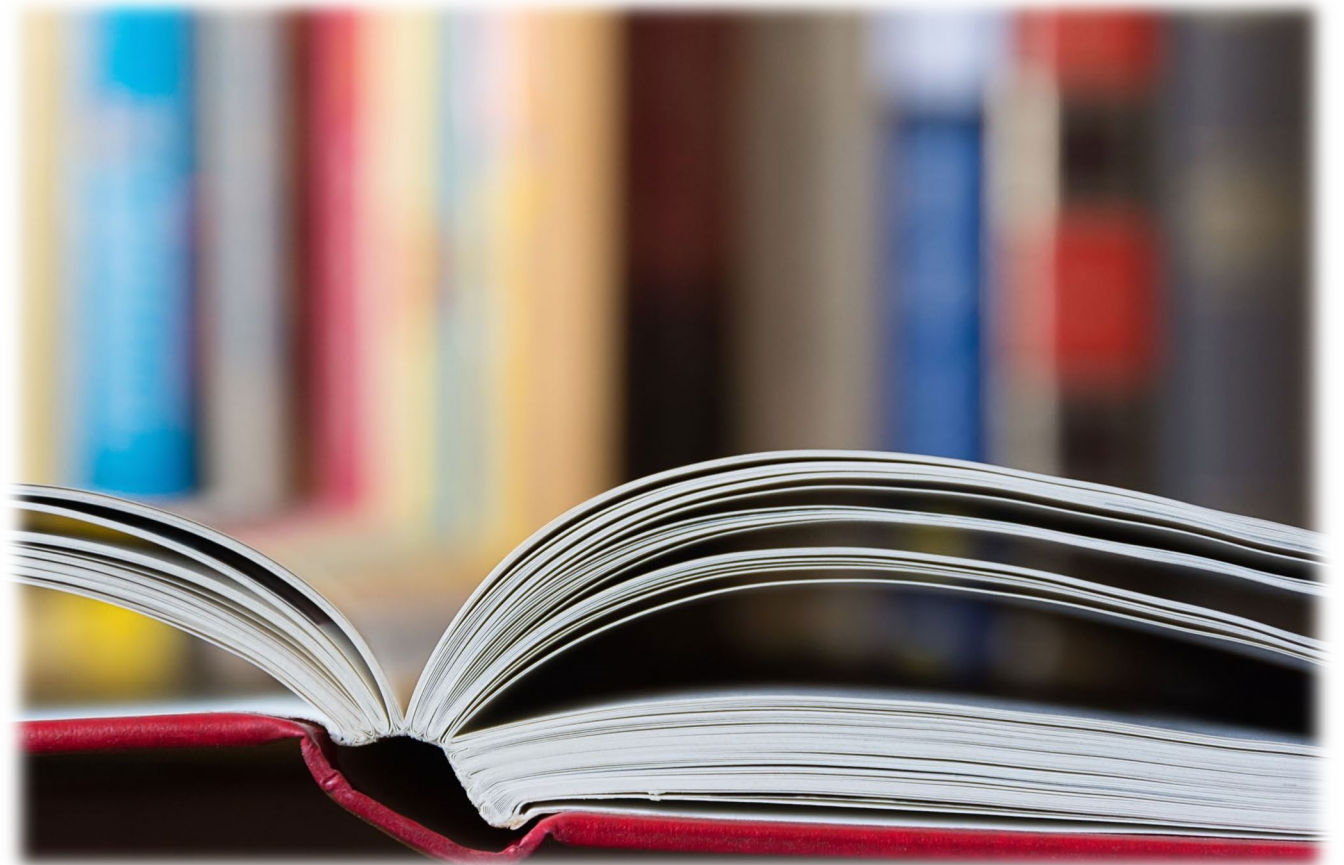
Vendor Opportunity List

Supplement Acknowledgement Certification Form

DBE Goals may apply

FOUND A SOLICITATION? NOW WHAT?

- **Research**
- **Research**
- **Research**



WAYS TO RESEARCH SOLICITATIONS

- **Review currently awarded open-end contracts**
- **Review advertised solicitations**
- **Research past contracts in Periscope**
- **Review Active/Archived RFPs**



REVIEW AWARDED CONTRACTS

Purchasing Division

Purchasing

Watch Bid Opening Live via Webex
Broward County conducts bid openings 100% online!
For your convenience, bids will be opened and live-streamed via Cisco Webex Monday through Friday at 2:01 p.m.
Joining the Webex meeting will allow you to view the vendors responding to each bid and the bid amount submitted from each vendor. This will replace in-person bid openings.
To view the bid opening, click the Join Meeting link below. Results are available in Periscope S2G immediately following bid opening.

Procurement Mission Statement
To view our Division's Mission and Vision Statements, Values, Goals, and Strategies, [click here](#).

Cone of Silence Ordinance - Updates effective April 1, 2022
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Electronic Bidding System
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[Selected suppliers list](#)
Registering for free with Periscope S2G.
Interested in doing business with Broward County? Check the

Resources

- Monthly Procurement Code Report
- Sunshine Meetings
- Broward County Debarred Supplier List
- Broward County Procurement Code
- Broward County Standard Agreement Terms & Conditions
- Current Open - End Contracts (PDF)**

Links

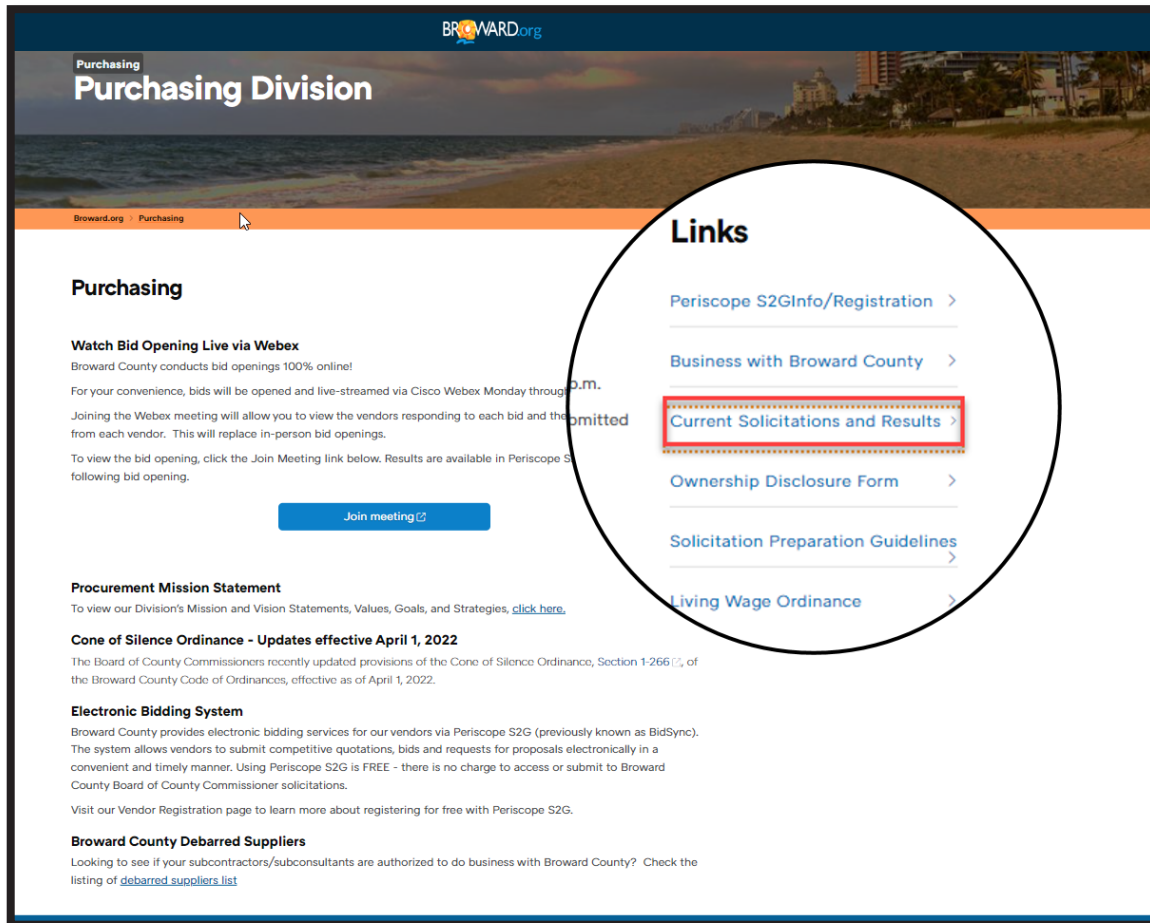
- Periscope S2Ginfo/Registration
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- Current Solicitations and Results
- Ownership Disclosure Form
- Solicitation Preparation Guidelines
- Living Wage Ordinance

Small Business Development

- Career Opportunities
- Search vendor payments
- iContracts Central
- Invoice Procedures/Prompt Payment Act

- **Website:**
- www.broward.org/purchasing
- Select “Current Open – End Contracts (PDF)”

REVIEW ADVERTISED SOLICITATIONS



The screenshot shows the Broward County Purchasing Division website. The page features a navigation bar with the Broward.org logo and a breadcrumb trail. The main content area includes a 'Purchasing' section with a 'Watch Bid Opening Live via Webex' announcement, a 'Procurement Mission Statement', a 'Cone of Silence Ordinance' update, an 'Electronic Bidding System' description, and a 'Broward County Debarred Suppliers' list. A circular callout highlights a 'Links' sidebar on the right, where the 'Current Solicitations and Results' link is enclosed in a red dashed box.

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Broward County Debarred Suppliers
Looking to see if your subcontractors/subconsultants are authorized to do business with Broward County? Check the listing of [debarred suppliers list](#).

Links

- [Periscope S2GInfo/Registration](#)
- [Business with Broward County](#)
- [Current Solicitations and Results](#)**
- [Ownership Disclosure Form](#)
- [Solicitation Preparation Guidelines](#)
- [Living Wage Ordinance](#)

■ Website:

■ www.broward.org/purchasing

RESEARCH REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFPS)



RLI/RFP Repository

To enhance transparency, the Purchasing Division provides the information/documents utilized by Evaluation Committee members in evaluating shortlisting, and/or ranking proposals for recommendation of rankings in Committee-based procurements (Request for Proposals, Request for Letters of Interest, or Request for Qualifications).

Some of the information/documents contained in the repository are: *Request for Letters of Interest/Request for Proposals solicitations, Evaluation Matrix, Director of Purchasing Recommendation Memorandum, Office of Economic and Small Business Development Compliance Memorandum, Financial Review Memorandum, Litigation Review Memorandum, Shortlisting Ballot Tally Sheet and Individual Ballots, Presentation - Ranking Ballot Tally Sheet and Individual Ballots, Video Recordings of Evaluation Committee Meetings, and the Summary Meeting Minutes.* This repository is an award-winning innovation recognized by NACo and FAPPO.

[View Sunshine Meeting](#)

Active RLI/RFP

Archived RLI/RFP

Number	Name	Documents
BLD2124561P1	Janitorial Services for County Facilities	
BLD2125137P1	Modification of Existing Low-Profile Cranes	
BLD2125864P1	Port-Wide Strategic Risk Management Plan	
GEN2118079P1	Group Long Term Disability Insurance	

BPRO IS COMING SPRING 2024

- Broward County Website – Purchasing Division
(<https://www.broward.org/purchasing/Pages/Default.aspx>)
- Electronic Bidding System - Bonfire
(<https://broward.bonfirehub.com/portal/?tab=login>)
- **FREE FREE FREE**

BROWARD.org

ATTENTION VENDORS BPRO is Coming Spring 2024!

Be the first to register!

Broward County will transition to our new Electronic Procurement System (BPRO) powered by Bonfire beginning in early Spring. Current and future vendors are encouraged act now. Technology is a driving force in today's industry, to remain on the cutting edge we are building more automation into our solicitation submission process. To prepare you for this transition we are asking that you register in our new portal now.

Note: Periscope S2G will remain in use until our transformation is complete.

Follow the instructions below to register in the new system:

- 1 Register or Log in to our new Procurement Portal by 03/29/2024

Registration Ends In

66	13	21	57
Days	Hours	Min	Sec

- 2 Download our Broward County BPRO Vendor Registration Guide

[VIEW REGISTRATION GUIDE](#)

- 3 Select the BPRO Portal Register or Login link to Navigate to <https://broward.bonfirehub.com>

a. If you are New to Bonfire - Select the "Create free Bonfire account" hyperlink to Register Today

[CREATE FREE BONFIRE ACCOUNT](#)

BPRO Vendor Registration Guide
Powered by Bonfire
[Download](#)

BPRO Portal
Powered by Bonfire
[Register Or Login](#)

Login to Periscope
Ends Spring 2024
[Register Or Login](#)

THANK YOU!



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Get on the Road to Certification



Business Opportunity Act

OBJECTIVE:

To ensure that small Broward County-based businesses are provided sufficient opportunities to meaningfully participate in the award of County-funded contracts.

Per Section 1-81.3 (a) of the Business Opportunity Act, as amended, a CBE goal of **at least twenty-five percent (25%)** participation by CBEs has been established for each County contract (unless the CBE goal is waived or otherwise modified by Board action)



Mobility Advancement Program

MAP Broward

- Broward County's 30-year, one percent surtax to fund transportation improvements, approved by voters in November 2018, **took effect in January 2019**
- Broward County Commission established a **30% CBE Participation Goal** for all eligible surtax-funded projects
- The transportation surtax is estimated to collect \$355 million annually, for the next 25 years

Goal Setting

To establish a goal, OESBD utilizes a methodology that takes the following into account:

- The project information provided by the Broward County using agency or municipality
- Availability of certified firms based on the scopes of work provided
- Previous and current utilization of certified firms based on similar projects
- Specialization of the scopes of work provided

Certification

RACE AND GENDER
NEUTRAL

LOCAL PROGRAMS



Small Business Enterprise (**SBE**)



County Business Enterprise (**CBE**)

SBE Reserve

Purpose is to spur **economic development** and stimulate small business **growth**

CBE Program

Purpose is to **increase small business participation** in County projects.

Project Value \$100,000 - \$250,000

Project Value > \$250,000

Personal Net Worth < \$1.32 M

Average Gross Revenues*

\$3 M - Construction Services

\$1 M - Contractual Services

\$500,000 - Professional Consultants

Average Gross Revenues*

\$9 M - Construction Services

\$5 M - All Other Services

≤ 15 Full-Time Employees

Commodity Suppliers are not subject to gross revenue limitation; must have 25 or fewer Full-Time Employees

Certification

RACE AND GENDER
CONSCIOUS

- **FEDERAL PROGRAMS**
 - Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (**DBE**)
 - Airport Concessions Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (**ACDBE**)

Eligibility for DBE/ACDBE Certification

DBE

**Disadvantaged
Business Enterprise**

49 CFR 26

Must be 51% owned, managed and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individual(s).

Personal Net Worth (PNW) must not exceed \$1.32 Million (excluding primary residence).

Must be for profit and a small business as defined by the SBA.

ACDBE

**Airport Concession
Disadvantaged
Business Enterprise**

49 CFR 23

DBE - Gross receipts must average and not exceed \$28.48 million (FAA) or \$30.40 (FTA & FHWA) over 3 years. ACDBE - \$56.42 million.

Must be an independent business – located in District 4 (DOT).

Owners must be U.S. Citizens or residents who belong to one or more of the following:

African-American/Black | Hispanic | Subcontinent-Asian
Asian-Pacific | Native American | Woman | Other

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CBE

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DBE

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Message from the Director

"Nothing will work unless you do."
— *Maya Angelou*

As you prepare to enter the third week of the first month of the new year, are you still excited? At OESBD, we are excited too and we're even more determined to support your excitement by empowering you with the information needed to assist you in growing your business.

[Grow Your Business with OESBD](#) is the annual workshop I do at the beginning of the year to ensure businesses, entrepreneurs, municipalities, chambers of commerce, community partners, and/or residents are aware of the FREE services and programming offered by the Broward County Office of Economic and Small Business Development (OESBD). This year, the free, virtual workshop will take place from 10AM-11:30AM on Friday, January 19th. I know sometimes the word "FREE" can scare you or make you believe there is no real value but let me correct that. I encourage you to come and take advantage of the services and offerings available to all residents, business owners, and taxpayers in Broward County. This valuable workshop will allow you to decide which part of what OESBD offers will fit your needs, what you should consider investigating further, or how you can be benefitted by scheduling a one-on-one technical assistance session to learn more. [You can use this link to directly access the webinar.](#)

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Thank You!





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